

WASHINGTON - Congressman Spencer Bachus today joined Countrywide Financial Corporation, parent company of the Rebuilding Together volunteer organization, for the national kick-off of its Serving Those Who Serve initiative. This program provides home modification and rehabilitation services to severely-injured military personnel who served in Iraq and Afghanistan.

"Countrywide Financial and Rebuilding Together are to be commended for their efforts in creating and jumpstarting this unique program. Serving Those Who Serve offers an opportunity for Americans to give back to those who have served us. Most of us will never understand the sacrifices these men and women have made for our freedom, but by becoming a volunteer, we can show our appreciation," Congressman Bachus said.

"Corey Webb, a member of my staff, lost his leg while serving in Fallujah, Iraq. I can only imagine how a project such as this would have eased his transition and rehabilitation process had it been available," Bachus continued.

"If you are in need of home modifications or know of someone who is, I urge you to contact Rebuilding Together. National projects will begin in April 2006, and the sooner you call, the sooner you can get the help you need," Bachus concluded.

For more information, visit the Rebuilding Together Web site at www.rebuildingtogether.org.

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